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thorough coverage of all military posts, troop training grounds including the railroad lines in their areas, and a careful analysis of railroad records made it possible to obtain the general OB in Eastern Germany 1952. It was definitely determined that no essential changes occurred in the distribution of units at troop training grounds of military posts. The strength of the units is believed to have increased only slightly as a result of the personnel movements which were rather small during the second half of July 1952. In July and August 1952, the personnel and material of the Volkspolizei cadre divisions were further reinforced. The area of Ruegen Island and northeastern Mecklenburg were the centers of activity. The units stationed there were appreciably augmented by personnel from other cadre units in Eastern Germany. Weapons from the U.S.S.R. were received by the units. Reports on the establishment of the Ministry for National Forces can be considered confirmed.

GERMANY.

### Order of Battle.

1. Reports received during the period from 1 August to 1 September 1952 revealed no changes in the general OB in Eastern Germany.
2. The following units in Eastern Germany, [redacted] permanent locations and dates of observation were confirmed between 1 August and 1 September 1952:

a. GHQ Units of the Group of Occupation Forces Germany (GOFG).

56th Motor Trans Regt  
An Engr Regt  
36th Pon Bridge Regt.  
124th Hvy How Arty Brig(US)  
25th PI Brig  
A Gun Arty Brig of the  
34th Arty Div (US)  
306th Gds AAA Regt

POTSDAM	29 July
BERNBERG	26 June
MAGDEBURG	22 July
BRANDENBURG	25 July
PRENNITZ	6 August

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5th Gds AAA Div (US)  
32d AAA Div (US)

POTS DAM	7 August
BERLIN - JENSDORF	5 August
area	
CHERTITZ-AUF area	7 July
FRANKFURT/Oder-	29 July
KUNSTRIN	

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b. Eighth Guards Army.

38th (?) Army AT Arty Brig  
91st Sig Regt (US)  
446th Sig Bn  
15th Gds Tank SP Regt  
Hq 20th Gds Mecz Div  
65th Gds Mecz Regt  
655th How Arty Regt  
Hq 21st Gds Mecz Div  
70th Gds Mecz Regt

ALTENBURG 31 July  
WEIMAR 19 July  
WEIMAR 12 June  
ONDRUF 9 June  
JENA 11 August  
WEIMAR area 21 June  
NAUMBURG 19 July  
HALLE 11 August  
HALLE 22 July

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c. Third Shock Army.

Hq 3d Gds AAA Div  
Hq 207th Mtz Rifle Div  
Hq 19th Gds Mecz Div  
Hq 94th Gds Mtz Rifle Div  
Hq 18th Mecz Div

MAGDEBURG 14 June  
STENDAL 30 July  
HILLERSLEBEN 30 July  
SCHLIERIN 10 July  
PERLEBERG 21 July

d. First Guards Mechanized Army.

Army Hq  
Hq 8th Gds Mecz Div  
19th Gds Mecz Regt  
  
1st Gds Tank Regt  
64th Gds Hv Tank SP Regt  
350th (?) How Arty Regt  
Hq 9th Tank Div  
Hq 11th Gds Tank Div  
  
40th Gds Tank Regt  
  
44th Gds Tank Regt  
45th Gds Tank Regt

DRESDEN 4 June  
GRIMMA 29 July  
LEIPZIG-SCHNE 28 June  
NAU  
BORNA or GRIMMA 27 June  
LEISNIG 20 June  
EILENBURG 29 June  
RIESA 17 June  
DRESDEN- 17 June  
KLOTZSCHE  
DRESDEN- 26 June  
KLOTZSCHE  
BAUTZEN 18 July  
KAMENZ (?) 9 June

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e. Second Guards Mechanized Army.

9th Sig Regt  
2d Light Arty Brig (US)  
90th RL Regt (US)  
234th Mort Regt  
Hq 12th Gds Tank Div  
48th Gds Tank Regt  
49th Gds Tank Regt  
66th Gds Tank Regt  
71st Gds Hv Tank SP Regt  
226th Mort Regt  
An AAA Regt of the 12th  
Gds Tank Div  
Hq 1st Mecz Div  
37th Mecz Regt

RAVENSBRUECK 11 August  
ORANIENBURG 31 July  
SCHOENWALDE 14 August  
NEUSTRELITZ 13 June  
NEURUPPIN 20 July  
NEURUPPIN 7 August  
NEURUPPIN 20 July  
NEURUPPIN 20 July  
NEURUPPIN 29 July  
NEURUPPIN 20 July  
  
NEURUPPIN 20 July  
DOEBERITZ 13 August  
DOEBERITZ 9 August

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f. Third Guards Mechanized Army.

Hq 62d AAA Div (US)  
470 (?) AAA Regt  
Hq 14th Gds Mecz Div  
49th Gds Mecz Regt  
10th Tank Regt  
272d Gds Mort Regt  
Hq 7th Gds Tank Div

KUMMERSDORF 19 July  
KUMMERSDORF (?) 1 June  
JUTTERBOG 9 August  
JUTTERBOG 9 August  
JUTTERBOG 9 August  
JUTTERBOG 5 February  
ROCHLAU 21 June

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79th Gds Hvy Tank SP Regt  
Hq 9th Mecz Div  
80th Gds Hvy Tank SP Regt

GROSS KURHNIAU 3 June  
COTTBUS 27 June  
SPRELEBERG 27 June

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g. Fourth Guards Mechanized Army.

Army Hq  
63d AAA Div (US)

EBERSWALDE 23 July  
EBERSWALDE 12 August

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312th Gds RL Regt  
Hq 6th Gds Mecz Div  
17th Gds Mecz Regt  
35th Gds Mecz Regt  
34th Tank Tng Bn  
Hq 7th Gds Mecz Div  
25th Gds Mecz Regt  
26th Gds Mecz Regt  
288th Gds AAA Regt  
111th Tank Regt  
175th Tank Regt  
219th (?) AAA Regt  
53d Htrcl Bn  
A Tank Tng Bn of the  
25th Tank Div  
Hq 10th Gds Tank Div  
63d Gds Tank Regt  
81st Gds Hvy Tank SP Regt  
29th Gds Mtz Rifle Regt

FUERSTENWALDE  
EBERSWALDE 23 June  
BERNAU 31 July  
EBERSWALDE 15 July  
BERNAU 24 June  
BERNAU 16 July  
FUERSTENWALDE August  
FRANKFURT/Oder 3 June  
FUERSTENWALDE 19 June  
FRANKFURT/Oder 27 July  
ORANIENBURG 23 June  
PRENZLAU 27 March  
ORANIENBURG 5 August  
ORANIENBURG 4 July  
ORANIENBURG 4 July  
KRAMPNITZ 31 July  
BRANDENBURG 1 April  
KRAMPNITZ 15 April  
KRAMPNITZ 10 July

Change of Quarters.

3. Since May 1952, there have been numerous reports indicating that Soviet-occupied installations were to be vacated for units of VP divisions which are being activated. Confirmatory observations have already been made in several towns, for instance in KAMENZ where, at the beginning of August 1952, the barracks installation was vacated by the rear unit of the 11th Gds Tank Regt of the 11th Gds Tank Div. Only a rear detail of about 30 men was left behind. The tank regiment which is at KOENIGSBERG will possibly stay there or be transferred to MEISEN in the fall of 1952. The Artillery Kaserne in JENA-ZWARTZER was also vacated by the rear unit of the 20th Gds Mecz Div in mid-August 1952, and the installation was turned over to the VP. In addition, large barracks installations were under construction near the Vogelsang railroad station and near KAMENBURG, both in the area of the TEMPLIN troop training grounds. It was alleged that their construction would extend over a long period of time. It is believed that they are being built to house components of the Fourth Gds Mecz Army which will vacate installations for VP divisions. It has not been determined whether quarters for the VP can be made available this fall, for instance in PRENZLAU or ORANIENBURG.

4. It is fairly definitely believed that <sup>during</sup> the fall of 1952, the 11th Gds AT Arty Brig of the Fourth Gds Mecz Army in DOEBERITZ-OLYMPISCHES DORF and the 2d Light Arty Brig (US) of the Second Gds Mecz Army in ORANIENBURG-NEISSE STADT will vacate their quarters and that the brigades will be in the pertinent army billeting area. The rear unit of the 11th Gds AT Arty Brig followed the brigade to the TEMPLIN troop training grounds in early August 1952. Coinciding with this movement, an advance party which  could belong to the 2d Light Arty Brig (US) arrived in Olympisches Dorf. In July 1952, large sums of money were allotted for the construction of new Soviet barracks installations in BERGPN on Ruegen Island and in the area of PRORA and for enlarging the Putlitz Kaserne and the Ulman Kaserne in ROSTOCK.

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The construction work is allegedly to be completed by September 1952. It is therefore expected that the 4th AT Arty Brig of the IV Arty Corps will remain on Ruegen and the unidentified Artiller Brigade of the LXXIX Itz Rifle Corps in ROSTOCK. Unconfirmed information tended to indicate that the headquarters and elements of the 590th Itz Rifle Regt of the 207th Itz Rifle Div, which were not committed to border guard duty, had moved from GANDELBOHN airfield to KLOETZE, northwest of GANDELBOHN.

5. In early August 1952, groups of houses in KILANKUERT/Oder, COTTBUS and ROSTOCK which had hitherto housed German civilians, were vacated on short notice to quarter German and/or Soviet offices which were set up when the previous governments in the Laender were reorganized into administrations of districts.

#### Training and Field Exercises.

##### 6. Division Training.

On the basis of all information received during the period under review, it can definitely be stated that the occupation of the troop training grounds has not changed since June 1952. This also is true of those troop training grounds whose coverage was made difficult by severe restrictive measures. Evaluation of troop training grounds where observation was possible showed that, in August 1952, troops were engaged in training at individual and group level but predominantly at battalion level. Training even extended to regimental level, and the surrounding areas of the troop training grounds were used in some instances. Divisions of the Second Gds Wehr Army, which did not move to troop training grounds as had been done in the preceding months, trained their units in areas near the military posts which had been specially prepared for this purpose for years and, simultaneously, sent artiller units to the area of JUTTESBOG to fire with live ammunition. In detail, the following information was obtained on quarters and troops at the training grounds:

**KINDL:** Prior to 16 August, the camp west of KINDL was still occupied to capacity by troops, presumably of the 57th Gds Itz Rifle Div; Camp KINDL was only lightly occupied, probably by headquarters units of the XXIX Gds Itz Rifle Corps from MAULBURG and LIECHENBURG. AAA units which arrived in KINDL in late July and early August, had probably been at LUSTROW for practices. Major field exercises were not observed prior to mid-August on the training grounds or in its vicinity.

**ORDEUF:** The two camps in the ORDEUF-ORANINKEL area were still occupied by units of the XXVIII Gds Itz Rifle Corps in early August. Elements of this corps which had been transferred to the FINESTADT area on 28 and 29 July, probably the corps headquarters and corps troops, returned to ORDEUF on 9 August.

**LOSOA:** Stringent security measures made it <sup>im</sup>possible to obtain details on the occupation and activity at the training grounds. Information from HALLE fairly definitely indicated that the majority of the 21st Gds Wehr Div was at LOSOA in mid-August.

##### **LESTLIN**

**WEATH:** Reports received until mid-August indicated that the location of units in the LESTLIN WEATH area was as follows:

**Camp GUT:** 18th Wehr Div including the elements of this division permanently stationed in the two barracks installations in HILDELS which are believed to have moved to Camp GUT in July; and army troops of the Third Shock Army including the 136th Gds Tank Regt from BURG.

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Camp PLANKEN: 7th Gds Tank Div.

Camp DOLLE: 10th Gds Tank Div.

Camp JAEVENITZ: Major contingents of the 207th Itz Rifle Div from STENDAL and GATDELSHUN, including some by rotation.

Individual units of the 18th Meck Div possibly were in LUTZLING MEATH for short term practices in early August. No further units were observed.

WITTSTOCK: The WITTSTOCK troop training grounds was occupied by elements of the 18th Meck Div presumably at regimental level who conducted a several-day practice in the area west of WITTSTOCK, in mid-August. AAA units of the division were at WUSTROW during the second half of July.

KOENIGS-  
BRUNCK:

The north section of the summer camp west of the SCHLAPPHITZ-SCHNORKAU road quartered the 8th Gds Meck Div. The south section quartered elements of the 11th Gds Tank Div which were not permanently stationed at KOENIGSBRUNCK. Units possibly including the 15th Gds Tank Regt of the 11th Gds Tank Div from KENIGS will allegedly remain at KOENIGSBRUNCK during the fall. In late July, engineer units which had presumably been engaged in practices on the Elbe River north of NIEBA arrived at the SCHLAPPHITZ railroad station.

ZEITHAIN: No information confirming the 9th Tank Div which is assumed to be located at ZEITHAIN has been received during the period under review. As no elements of the division were observed at KOENIGSBRUNCK or the military posts, it is rather probable that the majority of the division is in the ZEITHAIN area.

OTTENWISCH: As the training area was being used only by elements of the 8th Gds Meck Div which remained in the division area, the area was again of only local importance in August.

JUSTERBOG  
area:

In mid-August, the BERDER-WALKENBOM troop training grounds was still occupied to capacity by components of the 6th Gds Tank Div from WITTENBERG and JUSTERBOG-Altes Lager. According to [redacted] the troops are scheduled to stay there until October. On 31 July, artillery units of the 1st Meck Div and the 9th Gds Tank Div of the Second Gds Meck Army started rotating to the JUSTERBOG troop training grounds for short-term firing practices. They were quartered in a tent camp 3 km west-southwest of the LUCKENWALLE railroad station. Elements of the 91st Gds PL Regt of the Third Gds Meck Army from LUCKENWALLE may also have participated in exercises in this area in August. Information on the occupation of the barracks installations tended to indicate that, during the period under review, individual components of the 11th Gds Meck Div from JUSTERBOG held several-day training circles in the vicinity of the city, presumably at the troop training grounds.

WEISSWASSER: The 9th Meck Div was confirmed in Camp BOCHTEN until about 13 August when field exercises up to regimental level extended toward SCHWENIG. Artillery and AAA units of the division were in the area of JUSTERBOG for several days of firing practice in late July and early August.

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TEMPLIN: Until mid-August, no changes in the occupation of Camps VOGELSAAG and KANNENBURG were discernible. Elements of the 6th Gds Mecz Div and 25th Tank Div and headquarters units of the Fourth Gds Mecz Army were still quartered there. The training at battalion level and below was usually held at the training grounds north of the two camps and, as in the fall of 1951, in a large clearing north of GROSS SCHOENEBROCK. The latter terrain was chiefly used as a tank firing site. In July, large barracks installations were under construction near the VOGELSAAG railroad station and near KANNENBURG. The entire area of KURTSCHELAG-BEBERSEE-VIETMANNSDORF, where several cantonments were being established, was surrounded by a fence. Large wooded areas were being deforested. As the prefabricated building sections assembled here allegedly came from Camps HALLERSPRING and VOGELSAAG, it is believed possible that the training area is to be shifted farther to the southeast and that the erection of barracks installations in the VOGELSAAG-KANNENBURG area is in conjunction with this.

LIEBROSE: The components of the 7th Gds Mecz Div have also started training at battalion level during the first half of August. In early August, elements of the 312th Gds ML Regt of the Fourth Gds Mecz Army from ZEMMELDE were in the area of REITZ, south of JUELITZ for three-day practices. Components of the 288th Gds ML Regt practiced at the JUELITZBOG troop training grounds during the first half of August.

7. The three divisions subordinate to the Second Gds Mecz Army were still confirmed in their billeting areas until mid-August 1952. The units were trained in the vicinity of their posts. The 1st Mecz Div rotated their troops to the DOBERNITZ troop training grounds, and a tank unit of the division was holding a four-day practice in the area of NEUSTRELITZ. During the first half of August, the majority of the regiments and battalions of the 12th Gds Tank Div was concentrated for large-scale continuous field exercises in the NEORUPPIN-JUEHNSBURG area. Exercises of the 9th Gds Tank Div could not definitely be identified. However, it can be assumed that the areas between NEUSTRELITZ and NEUBRANDENBURG and that between NEUSTRELITZ and the Lucritz Lake were used for summer training. A cantonment at Domjych Lake which has been occupied by tank and motorcycle units of the division since June is believed to be the starting point for long-term training cycles. During the period from 31 July to late August, artillery components of the three divisions moved to the JUELITZBOG troop training grounds for several-day firing practices.

#### Special Exercises.

##### 8. Artillery.

In late July and early August, a transfer took place between the 113th(?) Gds Gun Arty Brig of the 34th Arty Div (US) hitherto in POLSDAM and the 30th Gds Gun Arty Brig of this division stationed in the northern section of the Delius Kaserne, which moved to ALT ZEMMELDE in April. During the first half of August, ALT ZEMMELDE was occupied by components of the IV Arty Corps and army artillery units of the Eighth Gds Army and Third Shock Army, which have been assembled there for more than three months, and AT artillery, rocket launcher and light artillery units which practiced there by rotation. Identification of the units was limited as a result

It could only be determined that units practicing at ALT ZEMMELDE included components of the Eighth Gds Army, the Third Shock Army, the Fourth Gds Mecz Army, and AAA units and mortar units of the IV Arty Corps.

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9. AAA Units.

During the second half of July and early August, 20 shipments with AAA units arrived at the MUSTROW AAA Range and 24 shipments of AAA units departed from MUSTROW. From available information on dispatching and receiving stations of the shipments from and to MUSTROW, the following units were on the AAA range during the time under review: elements of all the nine AAA divisions in Eastern Germany; elements of the AAA regiments of the XXIX Gds Itz Rifle Corps and of the LXXIX Itz Rifle Corps; elements of 11th Gds Mecz Div, of the 18th Mecz Div, and, possibly, of the 207th Itz Rifle Div. Air force AAA units from the airfields of BRAND, FIESTERWALDE and WERNERBUCHEN moved to MUSTROW for firing practices in early August. Units with motor vehicles observed in the MUSTROW area in mid-August and, thus, confirmed there until that time included the 2d, 3d, 4th and 6th Gds AAA Divs, the 63d AAA Div (US), and 13th AAA Div and the 11th Gds Mecz Div. Daily AAA firing practice at sleeve targets towed by aircraft was observed until mid-August.

10. Engineer Troops.

In early August, it was observed that, similar to the mid-July practice of the Third Gds Mecz Army, a training cycle for engineer units was completed in the area of the Third Shock Army near BITTKAU and in the area of the First Gds Mecz Army on the Elbe River north of RIESA. An engineer component of the 94th Gds Itz Rifle Div departed from BITTKAU on 8 August, presumably to return to the division area to HAGENOW, and an engineer unit, possibly an element of the 19th Gds Mecz Div or an army engineer unit of the Third Shock Army, arrived at BITTKAU. The transfer of troops was made after a pontoon bridge had been constructed across the Elbe River near POLTE about 1 August. Vehicular traffic in convoys included vehicles of the 19th Mecz Div, the 19th Gds Mecz Div and other unidentified elements of the Third Shock Army. Engineer troops of the 7th Gds Tank Div who were seen constructing a bridge near POLTE on 21 and 22 August are believed to have come from BITTLING HARTH. Army engineer units of the First Gds Mecz Army, which departed from their quarters in DRESDEN-UNTERGAU in early March returned on 4 August. Engineer units who probably belonged to the 8th Gds Mecz Div and 11th Gds Tank Div were unloaded at KOTTIGSBUCH beginning in late July. Checks on the Elbe River banks between TORGAU and RIESA revealed that the engineer units of the First Gds Mecz Army had presumably been quartered in a camp on the eastern bank near KOTTITZ, north of OTTESHA. This generally corresponds with previous information, according to which the engineer troops of the First Gds Mecz Army were carried in the MUEHLBERG area. In the DRESDEN area, the unidentified engineer regiment of the GOFG and the 36th Pon Bridge Regt of the GOFG were still confined in camps on Hirschloekerdamm north of the DRESDEN-UNTERGAU road and on the Elbe River east of KOTTITZ respectively until mid-August. According to vehicular traffic observed, it is possible, although not definitely confirmed, that elements of these regiments participated in the final phase of the command-post exercise in the FIESTERWALDE-ITZENHAGEN area.

[redacted] during the first half of August, engineer units of the Eighth Gds Army were again in the DRESDEN-UNTERGAU area; however, no details could be obtained [redacted]

[redacted] Training cycles of the engineer units of the Third Gds Mecz Army on the Elbe River in the BITTLING HARTH area which had been completed in mid-July had not been repeated in the area. About 1,000 troops with numerous engineer equipment were in the area in late July and in early August. It is believed that engineer components of the Eighth Gds Army, chiefly elements of the XVIII Gds Itz Rifle Corps not employed in the DRESDEN-UNTERGAU area, were stationed there

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for further training. Engineer units of the 1st Necz Div practiced presumably on Semlin Lake north of LITZENOW three weeks in August. Engineer units of the 12th Gds Tank Div, and other elements of the division, practiced in the area of the lakes north of LEURUPPIN during the first half of August.

11. Command Post Exercise in the FINSTERWALDE-LITZENBERG Area.

Information obtained on the command post exercise in the FINSTERWALDE-LITZENBERG area which had been mentioned in the report for July 1952 indicated that the exercise began about 12 July with the construction of a signal communication net within the FINSTERWALDE area. The net control which is believed to have been formed by headquarters elements of the GOFU, was possibly located in a cantonment in the Duergerheide just west of FINSTERWALDE. During the period from 20 to 30 July, headquarters, signal units, AA and AT artillery units assembled and then took up positions for an attack across the Elbe River in the areas east of TOSBAU and northeast of LITZENBERG. They were presumably divided in two separate combat groups. Having presumably practiced headquarters activity during the assembly phase for about one week with no discernible movement, the headquarters and units started moving toward the Elbe River in the evening of 5 August and crossed the river toward west, following a simulated attack group and probably crossing the river chiefly over permanent bridges. It could not definitely be determined to what extent engineer units of the GOFU participated in ferry activity in the area of LITZENBERG and, possibly, bridge construction in the area just east of LITZENBERG. It is possible that elements of the army headquarters and headquarters units of the Fourth Gds Necz Army simulated a defense force against the units which crossed the Elbe River westward. These elements of the Fourth Gds Necz Army departed from FINSTERWALDE on 26 and 27 July, allegedly for LITZENBERG. However, no observations were made of the unloading of these elements at LITZENBERG, and therefore it can be assumed that these shipments were redispached to the west. This hypothesis is supported by the intensive vehicular traffic on 6 August of unidentified units from FINSTERWALDE toward KOTTEN and by loadings on 8 and 10 August of the FINSTERWALDE units at the DESSAU, HALL and ANCHERSLUSSEN railroad stations. It also seems probable that the advance of the enemy group toward DESSAU from the west resulted in movements of major motor vehicle convoys. These convoys were observed during the period from 4 to 7 August, and moved from the east via LITZENBERG as far as the area west of DESSAU. The command-post exercise appeared to have been completed on 7 August. The signal center in the training area was deactivated and the signal equipment was dismantled on or after 14 August. According to [redacted] rail movements, especially according to troop trains carrying troops to their home stations from the area of TOSBAU-BELTZOW-ROCKENHA and the area of LITZENBERG, the command post exercise involved headquarters elements and signal communications units of the GOFU, elements of the IV Army Corps with units of the three [redacted] divisions, and elements of all army and corps headquarters including subordinate headquarters units. The components of the Fourth Gds Necz Army possibly simulated an enemy force.

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12. ROSTOCK Area.

In late July, the Putlitz Kaserne and Ulmer Kaserne in ROSTOCK were still occupied by artillery troops of the unidentified artillery brigade of the LXXIX Pz Rifle Corps which had arrived in early May 1952. It is notable that [redacted]

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[redacted] There is no indication at present that the occupation of the two barracks installations has been changed or the subordination of the brigade reorganized. The fact that money has been allocated for the enlargement of the barracks installations tends to indicate that the brigade has been assigned KOSTOCK as its permanent post.

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13. Ruegen Island. The 4th AT Arty Brig of the IV Arty Corps was positively confirmed in the eastern part of Ruegen Island [redacted] until only mid-July 1952. However, on the basis of transportation records, there is reason to believe that the brigade was still stationed there in August. The construction of permanent quarters tends to indicate that the brigade is going to stay on Ruegen Island during the winter. Shipments of AAA units, which were sporadically observed on the BTJALWHD-SPOCKH railroad line in both directions during the period from mid-July to 25 August [redacted]

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[redacted] belonged to elements of the IV Arty Corps, made it appear possible that AAA units are rotated to Ruegen for firing practice with live ammunition, similar to the practices held in MUSTROM. However, no confirmation could be obtained because of the strict security measures.

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#### Personnel.

14. The exchange of personnel which started on 15 July 1952 with the arrival of troop trains from the east was almost completed by 27 July. However, there were four troop trains which, according to unconfirmed information, were dispatched to the east from MUSTROM on 10 and 11 August. The arrival of 15 trains with recruits was observed during the period from 16 to 27 July and 6 trains with discharges were observed leaving Eastern Germany between 19 and 21 July and on 10 and 11 August. Assuming that each train carried about 1,200 men, a total of about 21,000 men has arrived, and about 7,000 men have returned to the U.S.S.R. The short time involved in the exchange cannot yet be accounted for. An unconfirmed report from KOSTOCK allowed that releases abruptly stopped in late July. It is also conceivable that, in July, only as many personnel were shipped in from the U.S.S.R. as were actually needed while major troop contingents may arrive in the fall bringing about further releases.

#### Evaluation of Motor Vehicle Numbers.

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15. A new evaluation of [redacted] the IV Arty Corps and HQ units was completed.

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#### Transportation.

16. The traffic situation of the East German Railroads was normal during the reported period. During the first third of the month, the number of railroad cars claimed by the Soviet occupation power was rather high, but later dropped to a normal level. In August, coal reserves showed a rising tendency for the first time. Coal stocks available on 13 August were adequate for 13.2 days' operations compared with 12.8 days' in the preceding month.
17. Traffic through border stations along the German-Polish line, though continuing at a slightly increased level, could still be considered normal. Special transportation operations included:

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- a. The motor vehicle exchange program in progress between the U.S.S.R. and Eastern Germany since mid-February 1952.
- b. The shipment of tanks and artillery pieces from the U.S.S.R. to Germany, particularly during the period from 10 through 11 August. The dispatch of heavy-duty flatcars to the east indicates that still more tanks will be moved to Germany.
- c. The exchange of personnel, which started in mid-July, was discontinued at the end of the month.

18. Major railroad construction projects included:

- a. The construction of the BERG-BIRKENHEAD line section of the Berdring BIRKEN project. By utilizing night shifts, the railroad authorities hope they may be able to complete the work by the target date of 15 September 1952.
- b. Reconstruction of the dismantled second track on the GORNI-RAIK RABAG railroad line. According to unconfirmed information, rails for this project were delivered by Great Britain.
- c. The reconstruction of the dismantled single track LI TROG-BIRZ railroad line on Huegen Island was completed on 15 August 1952.
- d. Work on the reconstruction of the second dismantled track of the HOSOBERTAL-JU TROG railroad line section started on 5 August. This stretch was the last single track section of the otherwise double track BERLIN-WALL railroad line.
- e. A double tracking of the railroad bridge over the Oder river at WROSTEL was in progress. The bridge over the flood area of this river near WROSTEL-RIE TZ was completed on 7 August.

19. In conjunction with a tightening up of security measures, all bridges, viaducts, tunnels were declared restricted zones. According to official calculations of the Railroad Tank Car Distribution Point, BERLIN, the following numbers of tank cars suitable for the shipment of white products were available in Eastern Germany in late July 1952:

Number of Railroad Tank Cars	Average Capacity (in hectoliters)
2,460	250
5	300
54	600
112	undetermined

Total  
2,631

Supply Situation.

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20. The motor vehicle exchange program of the Soviet army continued through July and the first half of August. During the period from April to 20 August 1952, a total of 1,000 motor vehicles were turned over to the German army. During the first half of August, approximately 200 tanks and about 1,100 artillery pieces and mortars including 123 howitzers were observed entering Germany. During the period from April through 20 August,

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From other observations, it appears that the bulk of this equipment was furnished to VP divisions, which were being activated. This special operation considerably increased the monthly normal average of supply shipments from approximately 1,000 freight cars to 2,529 in July. Of these, 1,200 cars were loaded with new motor vehicles. Supply traffic from the U.S.S.R. in the first half of August presented the same picture; 735 cars loaded with new vehicles and 195 flatcars loaded with artillery pieces arrived in Germany.

#### German Volkspolizei.

#### 21. Ministry for National Forces.

On 15 May, a covert headquarters which had the unofficial designation Ministry for National Forces was formed within the Ministry of the Interior. Chief of the Personnel Section is Minister of the Interior Willi Stoph. His deputy and PK Leiter is General Inspecteur der VP Rudolf Loelling who was detached from the NVA. It is planned to place the High Command of Army, Navy and Air Force under the jurisdiction of the future Ministry for National Forces. The ministry will further include an undetermined number of Hauptverwaltungen, e.g. for Politkultur, organization, military schools, transportation etc. About 150 persons are employed with the ministry at present. The budget provides for about 7 million eastmarks for the period from 1 July to 31 December 1952. About 200,000 eastmarks of this amount were spent in June and July 1952, chiefly in personnel overhead.

#### 22. Redesignations.

On 1 July, the NVA was redesignated the Ministerium des Inneren - Hauptverwaltung fuer Kasernierte Volkspolizei (HVKVP), and the VPDs were renamed Kasernierte Volkspolizei Lionststelle (KVPD).

#### 23. Main Point of Activation.

A corps or army of Kasernierte VP (KVP) is being activated in the PLORA-BRESIN-PAESWALK-PRESELAU-PINOW areas and has its headquarters in PAESWALK. This corps or army includes the divisions of KVPDs in PLORA, BRESIN, PRESELAU and PINOW. The ASA officer school in PINOW was transferred to PLORA. A new cadre division, i.e. a KVPD, is being activated in PINOW.

##### a. Personnel.

Since late July, about 20,000 men had been detached from all KVPDs for duty in the PLORA, BRESIN, PRESELAU, PINOW areas. The corps may now have a strength of about 32,000 men.

##### b. Armament.

In August 1952, the above mentioned area received about 400 guns of various calibers from the Soviet central depot at FUERSTENBERG. The activation of corps or army artillery can be expected as these artillery pieces also included 85-mm AA guns and 152-mm howitzers. It can also be assumed that a corps or army engineer unit will be activated from personnel of the KVPD FUERSTENBERG near MUEBENBURG. It is obvious that in order to speed up the activation of full divisions, the units of the KVPD corps or army are given priority with regard to personnel and equipment. The transfer of elements of some of the KVPDs, which detaches personnel, decreased to their original cadre strength of 1,500 to 2,000 men, and where KVPDs received no new weapons during the period under review, shipments of guns were

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observed arriving only at ILUOK where a central ordnance depot of the WKVP is assumed to be located in addition to an ordnance school, ordnance shop and ordnance testing shop. None of these guns have yet been observed being distributed to the individual KVPs.

#### 24. Military Construction Projects.

The Bauunion PCTODAM is in charge of the construction of barracks installations costing 11,000,000 eastmarks, including 4,000,000 eastmarks allotted for barracks installations of the KVPD in PRCHA. The Bauunion Nordost in PRCHLAU is in charge of the construction of barracks installations in the PRCHLAU-BOGESIN-TOGELO area at a cost of 20,000,000 eastmarks. All these installations are probably destined for the units newly activated in PRCHA, BOGESIN, PRCHLAU, PIHNO area.

#### 25. Summary.

While all cadre divisions had received relatively equal allotments of personnel and arms, it was observed that, in late July, the activation of units in the PRCHA-BOGESIN-PRCHLAU-PIHNO area were given priority in an effort to first speed the build up of some of the units to full T, O and H strength. It can be expected that the other KVPDs will be augmented upon completion of the activation of the corps or army. However, the authorized strengths can only be reached if compulsory service is introduced. \*

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#### 26. Order of Battle.

The following units were confirmed

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Unidentified signal regiment of the Central Group, in ST. POBLET until 25 June;

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14th Gds Recz Regt, in VISITA until 26 June;

15th Gds Recz Regt, in TACKIN-DEB until 31 May;

16th Gds Recz Regt, in KLOTH-DEB until 1 May;

15th Tank Regt, in BRUCK on the Leitha River until 2 March;

106th Gds Hv Tank GP Regt, in KADIAN until 1 June;

106th A. Regt, in KOLN-DEB until 12 June;

1336th A. Regt, in KOLN-DEB until 10 May;

23d A.A. Div Hq, in STOK-DEB, until 5 June.

Reports indicated that the 87th Gds Hv Tank GP Regt of the 2d Gds Recz Div, carried in GAGLE, was not at the post but presumably at a troop training grounds on 31 July 1952.

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27. Training.

Elements of the 13th Gds Recz Div including the 15th Gds Recz Regt have been absent from their posts since late July. Components of the 95th Gds Rifle Div in ST. POLTEN were absent from their posts since early August. It can be assumed that the units are at the DOBLEN 5.411 troop training grounds for combined arms training.

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[redacted] in World War II, [redacted] the 336th Gds Rifle Regt of the 120th Gds Rifle Div, was seen on a Soviet document dated 13 December 1951 from MINSK. At the end of the war, the division was identified under the command of the XXXI Rifle Corps of the Third Army in East Prussia. The Third Army had been activated in the area of MINSK by the 1D West in 1941. A review in 1949 by Major General Urbanovich (fnu) who had been commanding general of the XXXI Rifle Corps in 1941 had at the time been considered an indication that the units of the Third Army were retransferred to the area of MINSK after the war. The information on [redacted] a regiment of the 120th Gds Rifle Div in MINSK supports this assumption.

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\* Comment. For Soviet Order of Battle in Germany as of late August 1952, see Annex 1. For location of the individual divisions and the independent units in Eastern Germany and the exact dates of confirmation, see Annex 2. [redacted]

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Soviet Order of Battle Germany as of End of August 1952

Doubtful identification  
 Reasonable identification  
 Firm identification  
 Confirmed identification  
 Numerical designation from US-sources

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Unit	Location	Last identified	Details
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Group of Occupation Forces Germany

Hq of the Group	xxx Wuensdorf	Aug 52	CinC: Army Gen Chulkov (Polit Admin)
56 Motor Trans Regt	xxx Potsdam	29 July 52	CO: Col Glashev
66 Sig Regt (US)	xxx Potsdam area	25 Mar 52	
U/1 Engr Regt	xxx Bernburg	26 June 52	CO: Gds Col Gassenko
26 Pan Bridge Regt	xxx Magdeburg	22 July 52	CO: Maj Gen Jakovlev

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Unit	Location	Last identified	Details
<u>IV Arty Corps</u>			
Corps Hq	xxx Rathenow	25 Apr 52	lit: (Rathenow)
<u>6 Arty Div</u>	(temporarily with elements in Altengrabow)		
Div Hq	xxx Rathenow	19 July 52	
65 Mort Brig (US)	xxx Rathenow	1 June 52	
10 How Arty Brig (US)	xxx Rathenow	19 May 52	
18 How Arty Brig (US)	xxx Rathenow	23 July 52	
124 Hv How Arty Brig (US)	xxx Brandenburg	25 July 52	
821 Arty Ron Bn	xxx Rathenow	1 Apr 52	CO: Gds Lt Col Korsh
<u>25 RL Brig</u>	xxx Premnitz	6 Aug 52	25X1
<u>34 Arty Div (US)</u>	(temporarily with elements in Altengrabow)		
Div Hq	xxx Potsdam	19 July 52	CO: Maj Gen Kotikov CofS: Gds Col Litinski
30 Gds Gun Arty Brig	xxx Potsdam	13 Apr 52	CO: Gds Col Karpov
148 Gun Arty Brig (US)	xxx Potsdam	7 Apr 52	
U/1 Gun Arty Brig	xxx Potsdam	7 Aug 52	

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Location

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Details

IV Arty Corps (contd)

AT Arty Brig (US)

xxx Riegen area

8 July 52

CD. Col Sabelow (?)

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2 Gds AAA Div

xxx Rehagen and  
Wuendorf -  
Zossen area

21 July 52

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302 Gds AAA Regt  
303 Gds AAA Regt  
304 Gds AAA Regt  
305 Gds AAA Regt

5 Aug 52

306 AAA Div (US)

xxx Chemnitz - Ave  
area

7 July 52

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ints:  
(?)  
(Chemnitz Div Hq)

32 AAA Div (US)

xxx Frankfurt/Oder  
Kustrin

29 July 52

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ints:  
(Kustrin ?)  
(Frankfurt/Oder)  
(Frankfurt/Oder, Div Hq)  
(Kustrin)  
(Frankfurt/Oder)

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Unit	Location	Last Identified	Details
<u>Guards Army</u>			
Army Hq	xxx Weimar	19 Apr 52	Of: Col Gen Boldin CofS: Col Thuesen CO Rear Services: Maj Gen Potaninikov
<u>13 AAA Div</u>	Weimar-Leipzig		25X1 (Weimar) (Weimar) (Weimar)
Div Hq	xxx Weimar	1 July 52	
1173 AAA Regt	xxx Weimar	4 June 52	
230 Hs Tank SP Regt	xxx Glauchau	18 June 52	25X1
43 (Gds) Army Arty Brig	xxx Altenburg	2 July 52	CO: Col Koppin
38 (?) Army AF Arty Brig	xxx Altenburg	31 July 52	(?)
19 Indep Gds Ingr Bn	xxx Weimar-Buchonwald	2 June 52	25X1

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Unit	Location	Last Identified
<u>8 Guards Army (contd)</u>		
91 Sig Regt (US)	xxx Weimar	19 July 52
446 Sig Bn	xxx Weimar	12 June 52
257 Motor Trans Bn	xxx Weimar	11 June 52
U/1 Army Hospital	xxx Weimar	30 Mar 52
<u>XXVIII Gds Mtr Rifle Corps</u>		
Corps Hq	xxx Rudolstadt	22 June 52
U/1 Arty Brig	xxx Gera	1 July 52
326 ML Regt (US)	xxx Sealfeld	19 June 52
497 AAA Regt (US)	xxx Rudolstadt	28 May 52
880 Engr Bn	xxx Rudolstadt	8 June 52
53 Sig Bn (US)	xxx Rudolstadt	27 May 52

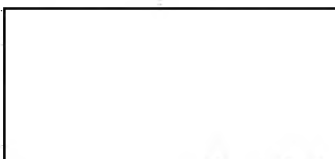
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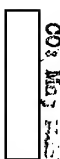


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Notes:  
(578 AT Arty. Regt ?)  
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Unit	Location	Identified	Details
<u>39 Gds Mtz Rifle Div</u>			
Div Hq	xxx Ohrdruf	4 July 52	CO: Maj Gen L.D. Vasilevski COFS: Gds Col Novikov
112 Gds Mtz Rifle Regt	xxx Flauen	1 July 52	CO: Gds Col Afonin
117 Gds Mtz Rifle Regt	xxx Meiningen	1 July 52	CO: Col Teeger
120 Gds Mtz Rifle Regt	xxx Ohrdruf	29 June 52	CO: Gds Col Dimitrov
15 (Gds ?) Tank SP Regt	xxx Ohrdruf	9 June 52	
936 Gds How Arty Regt	xxx Ohrdruf	18 Mar 52	
87 Gun Arty Regt	xxx Flauen	21 Apr 52	
935 AAA Bn (US)	xx Ohrdruf	13 Feb 52	
13 Mtrcl Bn	x Ohrdruf (?)	4 Dec 50	
45 Gds Engr Bn	x Seefeld (?)	4 July 52	
154 Sig Bn	x Ohrdruf (?)	Nov 51	CO: Gds Maj Galenko
U/1 Motor Trans Co	x Ohrdruf (?)	Oct 49	
512 Medical Bn	x Ohrdruf (?)	Oct 49	

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CO: Col Teeger

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CO: Gds Col Afonin

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CO: Maj Gen L.D. Vasilevski  
COFS: Gds Col Novikov

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Unit	Location	Last identified	Details
20 Gds Mezz Div	(temporarily in Chiruf)		
Div Hq	xxx Jena	11 Aug 52	<div data-bbox="925 1081 1015 1249" data-label="Text">25X1</div> <div data-bbox="925 1249 1015 1488" data-label="Text">                     nits:                      (Jena, tank unit ?)                      (Jena)                 </div>
65 Gds Mezz Regt	xxx Weimar area	21 June 52	
66 Gds Mezz Regt	xxx Jena	22 June 52	
67 Gds Mezz Regt	xxx Zeitz	22 June 52	
36 (?) Tank Regt (US)	xxx Zeitz	20 Apr 52	
68 Gds Hw Tank SP Regt (US)	xxx Jena	4 June 52	
172 Gds How Arty Regt	xxx Jena	4 July 52	
581 Mort Regt (US)	xxx Weimar	7 May 52	
2504 Gds AAA Regt (US)	xx Jena	5 June 52	
24 Gds RL Bn (US)	xx Jena	Nov 51	
88 Gds Engr Bn	xxx Jena	22 June 52	
U/1 Sig Bn	xx Jena	Nov 51	
65 Tank Tng Bn (US)	xxx Jena	28 Apr 52	
Administration Co	xxx Jena	19 Apr 50	

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CG: Gds Maj Gen Zeryugin

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XXIX Gde Hq Rifle Corps

Unit	Location	Last Identified	Details
Corps Hq	xxx Naumburg	Nov 51	CO: Maj Gen Boldinov (?) or Cherekhmanov
U/1 Arty Brig	xxx Merseburg	26 June 52	
94 RL Regt (US)	xxx Leipzig-Schoenau	18 June 52	
498 AAA Regt (US)	xxx Naumburg	4 June 52	
27 Gde Sig Bn	xxx Naumburg	26 June 52	CO: Lt Col Resanov
U/1 Eng Bn	xxx Naumburg	2 June 52	

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Unit	Location	Last Identified	Details
57 Gds Mtz Rifle Div	(temporarily in Kindel)		
Div Hq	xxx Naumburg	4 July 52	
170 Gds Mtz Rifle Regt	xxx Naumburg	12 May 52	
172 Gds Mtz Rifle Regt	xxx Gotha	30 June 52	
174 Gds Mtz Rifle Regt	xxx Weissenfels	30 June 52	
17 Gds Tank SP Regt	xxx Weissenfels	13 June 52	
655 How Arty Regt	xxx Naumburg	19 July 52	
128 Gds Gun Arty Regt	xxx Gotha	16 June 52	
932 AAA Bn (US)	xxx Naumburg	25 Apr 52	
67 Engr Bn (US)	xx Naumburg	2 June 52	
89 Gds Sig Bn	xxx Naumburg	4 June 52	
93 Rec Bn (US)	xxx Weissenfels	13 Feb 52	
64 AT Bn (US)	x Naumburg	Sep 51	

CO: Col Clady

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Unit Location Last Identified Details

21 Gds Meez Div

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Div Hq xxx Halle 11 Aug 52

68 Gds Meez Regt xxx Halle 22 Mar 52

69 Gds Meez Regt xxx Halle (?) 23 June 52

70 Gds Meez Regt xxx Halle 22 July 52

28 Gds Tank Regt xxx Halle 22 May 52

19 Gds Hvy Tank SP Regt xxx Halle Aug 48

54 Gds How Arty Regt xxx Halle 20 Dec 51

136 Gds Mort Regt xx Halle (?) 30 May 52

2505 Gds AAA Regt (US) xxx Halle 5 June 52

114 (?) Gds Mtrcl Bn xxx Halle 4 Sep 51

25 Gds FL Bn (US) xxx Halle 30 May 52

U/1 Gds Bngr Bn xxx Halle 3 June 52  
U/1 Gds Sig Bn xxx Halle 24 June 52

Units:  
(Halle)  
(Halle)  
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(Halle/Neunburg)  
(Halle)  
(Halle)  
(Halle, tank unit)  
(Halle, arty unit)

CO: Gds Col Gromov

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CO: Lt Col Sergeyev  
COFS: Maj Glushenko

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CO: Lt Col Puhachov

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CO: Lt Col Ardayev

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Unit Location Last Identified Details

3 Shock Army

Army Hq

xxx Magdeburg

19 June 52

COFS: Lt Gen Dosik

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I Echelon  
II Echelon

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Training  
CO Tank  
(Troops)

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3 Gds AAA Div

Div Hq

xxx Magdeburg-Crakau

14 June 52

Off. Maj Gen Seregin

307 Gds AAA Regt

x Magdeburg

18 Feb 48

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136 Gds HV Tank SP Regt

xxx Burg

23 June 52

CO: Gds Col Petrov

105 Sig Regt

xxx Magdeburg

23 Mar 52

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U/I Indep Sig Bn

xx Magdeburg

15 Aug 47

CO: Maj Uriyski

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Notes:  
(Magdeburg, arty unit)  
(Schwerin, AAA unit)  
(Stendal)  
(Schwerin, arty unit)  
(Schwerin, arty unit)

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Unit	Location	Last Identified	Details
<u>3 Shock Army (contd)</u>			
15 Gds Engr Bn	xxx Berby	6 Mar 52	
44 (?) Army Arty Brig	xx Magdeburg (?) = Burg = Altengeborn	Feb 51	
V/1 Army AT Arty Brig	xxx Brandenburg	June 52	
223 Motor Trans Bn	x Magdeburg	Oct 47	
2021 Army Hospital	xx Magdeburg	Aug 47	



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Unit	Location	Last Identified	Details
<u>3 Shock Army (cont'd)</u>			
<u>LXXIX Mtz Rifle Corps</u>			
Corps Hq	xxx Stendal	23 May 52	[Redacted] hit (Stendal) Or: Col Gen Chervolenko
977 Indep Sig Bn	xx Stendal	20 Mar 52	
890 Indep Engr Bn	xxx Gardelegen	31 Mar 52	
U/1 Arty Brig	xx Postock	4 July 52	
U/1 AAA Regt	Burg	10 June 52	[Redacted]
U/1 HL Regt	xx Stendal-Borstel	17 Oct 51	

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[Redacted] hit (Stendal)

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### Details

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letting Heath)

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ints:  
(Stendal)

30 July 52

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33 Lt Col Thruswell

xxx. Stendal

8 Feb 52

CO: Lt Col Shumilov

### III. Gardel Legion of

Summer 52

25X  CO: Lt Col Bruyako

xxx Stendal or

10 Feb 52

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## Stoldal

19 Mar 52

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xx Gardellegen

Mid-Nov 51

CO: Col. Kinsale X1

953 AAA BA (US)

## xx Tangermende

27 Aug 51

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CO: Col Kiselev

U/1 Metrol Bn

**X. Gardelegen**

Mid-Nov 51

338 Eng'g Bn (US)

**xxx Tangertuende**

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U/I Sig Bn

xxx Stendal

28 June 51

CO: Maj Bertov

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Unit	Location	Last Identified	Details
19 Gds Meccz Div	(temporarily in Letzling Heath)		
Div Hq	xxx Hillersleben	30 July 52	CO: Maj Gen Yermakov COFS: Gds Col Masur
62 Gds Meccz Regt	x Hillersleben (?)	28 Mar 52	CO: Col Nechat
63 Gds Meccz Regt	xxx Magdeburg	31 Mar 52	
64 Gds Meccz Regt	xx Hillersleben	24 Apr 52	CO: Col Shoveljev
26 Gds Medium Tank Regt	unlocated	(Nov 48)	
153 Gds Hw Tank SP Regt	x Magdeburg (?)	Oct 51	
99 Gds How Arty Regt	xx Hillersleben	17 Jan 52	
573 (?) Mort Regt	x Magdeburg	27 Apr 51	CO: Col Mikitin
2503 Gds AAA Regt (US)	xx Hillersleben	8 Sep 51	
112 Ren Bn	x Magdeburg	Oct 51	
U/1 Gds HL Bn	x Magdeburg	Oct 51	
U/1 Gds Engr Bn	unlocated	(Nov 48)	
U/1 Gds Sig Bn	unlocated	(Nov 48)	
U/1 Gds Motor Trans Bn	x Magdeburg (?)	(Mar 49)	

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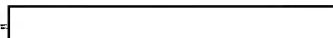
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Unit	Location	Last Identified	Details
<u>LA MIZ Rifle Corps</u>			
Corps Hq	xxx Schwerin	17 June 52	25X1 AFN of ? unit: [Redacted] (Schwerin, sig unit)
4 Gds AF Arty Brig (US)	x Schwerin	Dec 49	25X1 Ct: Maj Gen Inauri (?) CofS: Maj Gen Tarasov
136 Gun Arty Regt	xxx Schwerin	Feb 52	25X1 [Redacted]
U/1 AAA Regt	xx Schwerin	June 52	
10 Gds RL Regt	xxx Schwerin	12 July 52	CO: Col Jegerov
U/1 Engr Bn	xxx Schwerin	15 Apr 52	[Redacted] (?)
U/1 Sig Bn	xxx Schwerin	July 52	25X1

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24 Gds Mtz Rifle Div

Unit	Location	Last Identified	Details
Div Hq	xxx Schwerin	10 July 52	<div>CO: Maj Gen Tassilin (?) COFS: Col Kutsjadin Dpty COFS: Col Stefani (?)</div>
283 Gds Mtz Rifle Regt	xxx Hagenow	20 June 52	CO: Col Shentsev
286 Gds Mtz Rifle Regt	xxx Schwerin	26 Dec 51	CO: Col Shmatka
288 Gds Mtz Rifle Regt	xxx Wismar	Reg of Mar 52	CO: Col Drobat
74 (H* ?) Tank S <sup>r</sup> Regt	xxx Schwerin	15 May 52	CO: Lt Col Verba
115 How Arty Regt	xxx Schwerin	12 Mar 52	CO: Col Petrenko (?)
199 Gds Gun Arty Regt	xxx Wismar	7 May 52	CO: Lt Col Negerevish
176 (?) AAA Bn	xx Schwerin	Dec 50	CO: Col Golovashov
107 Gds Eng'r Bn	xx Hagenow	Dec 51	CO: Gds Maj P. J. Krotov
159 Gds Sig Bn	xxx Schwerin	18 June 48	
U/I Hospital	xxx Schwerin	20 Apr 52	
9 Ren Co (?)	x unlocated	Fall 49	

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units:  
(Schwerin, arty unit)  
(Schwerin, AAA unit)

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Unit	Location	Last Identified	Details
18 Meoz Div	(temporarily in Wittstock)		
Div Hq	xxx Perleberg	21 July 52	CO: Lt Col Berabash CO: Lt Col Savalev CO: Col Krtvov CO: Col Minshek CO: Col Susdelov CO: Col Garsulin CO: Col Asber
58 Meoz Regt	xxx Perleberg	9 May 52	CO: Lt Col Berabash
59 Meoz Regt	xxx Ludwigslust	1 July 52	CO: Lt Col Savalev
60 Meoz Regt	xxx Parchim	23 June 52	CO: Col Krtvov
33 Tank Regt (US)	xxx Parchim	14 June 52	CO: Col Minshek
119 Gds Hq Tank SP Regt	xxx Ludwigslust	23 Mar 52	CO: Col Susdelov
1054 How Arty Regt	xxx Ludwigslust	15 Apr 52	CO: Col Garsulin
592 Mort Regt (US)	xx Ludwigslust	17 May 52	CO: Lt Col Asber
2511 AAA Regt (US)	x Perleberg (?)	1 July 51	
32 RL Bn (US)	x Ludwigslust (?)	Spring 52	
120 Mtrci Bn	xxx Parchim	19 May 52	
348 Engr Bn	xx Ludwigslust	15 Nov 51	
921 Sig Bn (US)	xx Perleberg	14 Nov 51	

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Unit	Location	Last Identified	Details
<u>1 Gds Weez Army</u>			
Army Hq	xxx Dresden	4 June 52	[redacted] (sig unit) (?)
U/I Army Brig 129 Pbnal Co 1 Assault Bngr Regt 6 Merc1 Bn	* Koenigsbrueck xxx Koenigsbrueck x Dresden (?) xxx Dresden	Mar 48 21 May 49 Oct 51 29 May 52	[redacted]
<u>4 Gds AAA Div</u>	xxx Dresden = Koenigsbrueck	12 Mar 52	CG: Maj Gen Prokopovich Units: (Dresden ?) (?) (Koenigsbrueck) (Koenigsbrueck, Div Hq) (Dresden ?)
263 AAA Regt	xxx Koenigsbrueck	12 Mar 52	CO: Col Sotkin [redacted]
265 AAA Regt	x Koenigsbrueck	Nov 47	
272 AAA Regt	x Koenigsbrueck	Nov 47	CO: Col Gromov
273 AAA Regt	x Koenigsbrueck	Nov 47	CO: Col Goryayev

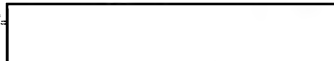
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Unit	Location	Last Identified	Details
8 Gds Meuz Div	(temporarily in Koenigsbrueck)		<div> <div></div> <div>                     notes:                      (Leipzig)                      (Leipzig)                      (Grimma, tank unit)                      (Taucha)                      (Leipzig)                 </div> </div>
Div Hq	xxx Grimma	29 July 52	CO: Col Tymen
19 Gds Meuz Regt	xxx Leipzig-Schoenau	28 June 52	CO: Col Kozolot
67 Gds Tank Bn			
20 Gds Meuz Regt	xxx Wurzen	6 Mar 52	
68 Gds Tank Bn			
21 Gds Meuz Regt	x Leipzig	Aug 47	
69 Gds Tank Bn			
1 Gds Tank Regt	xxx Borna or Grimma	27 June 52	
64 Gds Hv Tank SP Regt	xxx Leisnig	20 June 52	
350 (?) How Arty Regt	xxx Eilenburg	29 June 52	
265 Gds Mort Regt	xx Wurzen	21 Dec 50	
358 Gds AAA Regt	xxx Leisnig	Sep 51	
8 Gds Mtrcl Bn	xx Borna (?)	3 Feb 51	
U/1 Gds FL Bn	x Leisnig (?)	25 Apr 49	
133 Gds Engr Bn	xxx Grimma	13 Nov 51	
U/1 Sig Bn	x Grimma	2 Apr 52	

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Unit	Location	Last Identified	Details
<u>2 Tank Div</u>			
(temporarily with elements in Zeithain)			
Div Hq	xxx Riesa	17 June 52	CO: Maj Gen Garkusha
23 Tank Regt	xxx Oschatz	19 Mar 52	CO: Lt Col Morozov
95 Tank Regt	xxx Meissen	27 Mar 52	
108 Tank Regt	xxx Riesa	15 Mar 52	
70 Gds Hvy Tank SP Regt	xxx Riesa	5 Mar 52	
8 Mtz Rifle Regt	xxx Oschatz	End of June 50	
218 Mort Regt	xx Meissen	End of Nov 47	CO: Col Katirjin
216 (?) AAA Regt	x Meissen	Feb 49	
U/1 Mtrcl Bn	xx Meissen	27 Mar 52	
U/1 Engr Bn	x Oschatz	9 Jan 50	
U/1 Sig Bn	x Riesa or Meissen	July 47	
U/1 Transport Bn	x unlocated	July 47	
U/1 Tank Tng Bn	x Riesa	17 Jan 50	

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Unit	Location	Last Identified	Details
<u>11 Gds Tank Div</u>	(temporarily in Koenigsbrueck)		
Div Hq	xxx Klotzsche	17 June 52	CO: Col Beresovsky (Dresden-Klotzsche, AAA unit) (Hadeberg) (Bischofswarda)
40 Gds Tank Regt	xxx Klotzsche	26 June 52	
44 Gds Tank Regt	xxx Bautzen	18 July 52	CO: Col Vorobeyev
45 Gds Tank Regt	xxx Kamenz (?)	9 June 52	(?)
7 Gds Hv Tank SP Regt	xxx Dresden	23 Mar 52	
27 Gds Mts Rifle Regt	xxx Dresden (?)	12 Jan 49	
270 Gds Mort Regt	xxx Koenigsbrueck	2 Apr 52	
496 (Gds ?) How Arty Regt	xx Dresden	Apr 51	
9 Gds Mtrcl Bn	xx Dresden	14 Mar 50	
53 Gds RL Bn	xx Kamenz	10 Feb 49	
134 Gds Ingr Bn	xxx Dresden-Hebigen	27 Feb 50	(?)
153 Gds Sig Bn	xx Klotzsche	Reg of Jan 50	

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Unit Location Last Identified Details

2 Gde Mecz Army

Army Hq

xxx Fuerstenberg

13 July 52

CO: Lt Gen Radziyevski (?)

9 Sig Regt

xxx Ravensbrueck

11 Aug 52

41 or 413 Pon Bridge Bn/  
88 Engr Regt (?)

xxx Neubrandenburg

Spring 52

31 AAA Div

xxx Schoenwalde area

12 Apr 52

2 Light Arty Brig (US)

xxx Orenienburg

31 July 52

90 RL Regt (US)

xxx Schoenwalde

14 Aug 52

180 Field Hospital

xxx Guestron

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9 Gds Tank Div

Div Hq xxx Neustrelitz 28 June 52

CO: Lt Gen Shlegin

47 Gds Tank Regt xxx Neustrelitz 28 Apr 52  
50 Gds Tank Regt xxx Neustrelitz 16 Sep 51  
65 Gds Tank Regt xxx Neustrelitz 5 Dec 51

CO: Col Kuznetsov  
(Neustrelitz)  
(Neustrelitz)  
(Neustrelitz)  
(Neustrelitz)

U/1 Gds Hvy Tank SP Regt xxx Neubrandenburg 25 May 52

CO: Col Sokolovski

33 Gds Mtr Rifle Regt xxx Pliesterberg July 52

CO: Gds Col Knaasov

234 Mort Regt xxx Neustrelitz 13 June 52

CO: Col Orlov

121 (?) AAA Regt xx Neustrelitz May 51

495 How Bn (US) xxx Neustrelitz 29 July 51

126 Gds RL Bn xxx Neustrelitz 13 Apr 52

90 Gds Engr Bn xxx Neustrelitz 15 Mar 52

CO: Gds Maj Shulshenko

411 Sig Bn xxx Neustrelitz 26 Nov 50

U/1 Tank Ing Bn xxx Neubrandenburg 1 May 52

74 Gds Ren Bn xxx Neustrelitz 15 Nov 51

CO: Col Kuznetsov

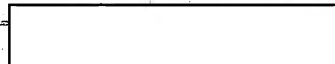
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12 Gds Tank Div

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Div Hq	xxx Neuruppin	20 July 52	CO: Col Yurenko (7)
40 Gds Tank Regt	xxx Neuruppin	7 Aug 52	CO: Gds Lt Col Yukalov
49 Gds Tank Regt	xxx Neuruppin	20 July 52	CO: Gds Lt Col Sukhish
66 Gds Tank Regt	xxx Neuruppin	20 July 52	
71 Gds Hv Tank SP Regt	xxx Neuruppin	29 July 52	
34 Gds Mtz Rifle Regt	xxx Drogen	15 Sep 51	
226 Mort Regt	xxx Neuruppin	20 July 52	CO: Col Starostin
U/1 AAA Regt	xxx Neuruppin	20 July 52	
U/1 Gds RL Bn	xxx Neuruppin	July 52	
205 Engr Bn	xxx Genzarode	16 June 52	CO: Gds Maj Frolov
U/1 Gds Sig Bn	xxx Neuruppin	21 Apr 50	(7)
U/1 Motor Trans Bn	xxx Wulkow	15 Mar 52	
87 (?) Bn Bn	xxx Neuruppin	2 July 52	
59 Tank Tng Bn (US)	xx Neuruppin	Mid-June 52	



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CO: Col Yurenko (7)

CO: Gds Lt Col Yukalov



CO: Gds Lt Col Sukhish



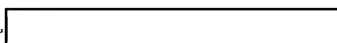
CO: Col Starostin



CO: Gds Maj Frolov

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Unit	Location	Last Identified	Details
1 Meoz Div			
Div Hq	xxx Doeberitz	13 Aug 52	CO: Maj Gen Okthmann
19 Meoz Regt	xxx Doeberitz	4 Mar 52	[Redacted]
9 Tank Bn	xx Doeberitz	3 Oct 50	CO: Col Petrov or [Redacted]
35 Meoz Regt	xxx Doeberitz	8 Mar 52	CO: Col Vainrub
37 Meoz Regt	xxx Doeberitz	9 Aug 52	[Redacted]
3 Tank Bn	xx Doeberitz	28 Nov 51	CO: Maj Unesdlov (?)
219 Tank Regt	xxx Doeberitz	4 Apr 52	
72 Gds Hq Tank SP Regt	xxx Doeberitz	5 Oct 51	
203 (?) Gds How Arty Regt	xx Doeberitz	24 Nov 51	
1982 AAA Regt (US)	x Doeberitz	Dec 48	
294 Mort Regt (US)	xx Doeberitz	20 Mar 52	
41 RL Bn (US)	x Doeberitz	Dec 48	
18 (?) Engr Bn	xxx Doeberitz	3 Sep 51	
U/2 Sig Bn	x Doeberitz	Dec 48	
U/1 Motor Trans Bn	x Doeberitz	Dec 48	
57 Rcn Bn	x Doeberitz	Dec 48	
558 Medical Bn	x Doeberitz	July 47	

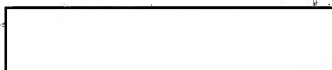
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CO: Maj Kryslin  
CO: Maj Unesdlov (?)

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3rd Gds Mecc Army

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Army Hq

xxx Forst Zinns

14 July 52



notes:  
(Luckenwalde)  
(Kummersdorf)  
(Jüterbog, AAA unit)

OT: Col Gen Golubov (?)  
CofS: Maj Gen Sorokomov



(arty commander)  
(sig unit)  
(tank troop commander)

62 AAA Div (US)

(elements in the  
Jüterbog area)

Div Hq

xxx Kummersdorf

19 July 52

470 (?) AAA Regt

xx Kummersdorf (?)

1 June 52

U/1 AAA Regt

xxx Kummersdorf

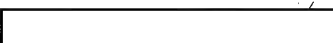
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Unit	Location	Last Identified	Details
<u>3 Gds Weck Army (contd)</u>			
<u>199 Light Arty Brig</u>			
Brig Hq	xxx Jueterbog area	1 Mar 51	
202 Gds Arty Regt	xxx Jueterbog area	14 Jan 52	
229 Gds Arty Regt	xxx Jueterbog area	27 Dec 51	
368 Arty Regt	xxx Jueterbog area	23 Apr 52	
50 Mtrcl Regt	xxx Jueterbog area	4 Mar 52	
91 Gds RL Regt	xxx Luckenwalde	20 Apr 52	
77 Motor Trans Bn	xxx Teupitz	8 Feb 50	
35 Eng'r Regt (US)	xxx Sperenberg	24 Dec 51	



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14 Gds Mecz Div

Unit	Location	Last Identified	Details
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Div Hq  
xxx Jueterbog  
9 Aug 52

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From Jueterbog; some of them may belong to 6 Gds Tank Div units.  
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(infantry unit ?)  
[Redacted]  
tank unit ?  
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tank unit ?  
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tank unit ?

CO: Col Torkin

47 Gds Mecz Regt  
xxx Jueterbog-Damm  
26 Aug 51

48 Gds Mecz Regt  
xxx Jueterbog  
(Altes Lager)  
12 June 52

49 Gds Mecz Regt  
xxx Jueterbog  
9 Aug 52

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10 Tank Regt  
xxx Jueterbog  
9 Aug 52

5 Hw Tank SP Regt  
x Jueterbog  
Nov 48

CO: Col Ravsov  
COFS: Lt Col Nikolayev

469 Gds How Arty Regt  
xxx Jueterbog  
(Altes Lager)  
10 Mar 52

497 Mort Regt  
2497 AAA Regt  
107 Mtrcl Bn (US)  
18 RL Bn (US)  
148 Engr Bn (US)  
211 Sig Bn (US)  
723 Motor Trans Bn (US)  
24 Tank Tng Bn (US)  
636 Medical Bn (US)  
xxx Jueterbog  
x Jueterbog  
x Jueterbog  
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3 Sep 49

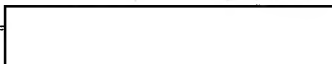
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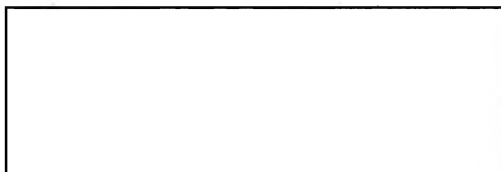


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<u>6 Gds Tank Div</u>			
	(temporarily in Werder-Markendorf)		
Div Hq	xxx Wittenberg	4 July 52	
51 Gds Tank Regt	xxx Wittenberg	20 Feb 52	
52 Gds Tank Regt	xxx Wittenberg	16 June 51	
53 Gds Tank Regt	xxx Wittenberg	16 June 51	
78 Gds Hv Tank SP Regt	xxx Wittenberg	23 June 52	
22 Gds Mtz Rifle Regt	x Wittenberg or Jueterbog	Reg of Nov 49	
272 Gds Mort Regt	xxx Jueterbog	5 Feb 52	
286 Gds AAA Regt	x Wittenberg	May 49	
385 Gds Arty Bn (US)	xx Wittenberg or Jueterbog	8 Oct 50	
3 Gds Mtrci Bn	xxx Wittenberg	16 June 51	
439 (?) Gds RL Bn	x Wittenberg	July 49	
120 (?) Gds Engr Bn	x Wittenberg	July 49	
145 (?) Gds Sig Bn	x Wittenberg	July 49	

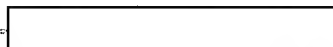
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Unit	Location	Last Identified	Details
7 Gds Tank Div	(temporarily in Letzling Heath)		
Div Hq	xxx Rossau	21 June 52	[Redacted] nits? (Zerbst) (Rossau) (Jueterbog) (?) (Zerbst)
54 Gds Tank Regt	xx Rossau	18 Jan 51	
55 Gds Tank Regt	xxx Rossau	8 Oct 50	CO: Lt Col Usakov [Redacted]
56 Gds Tank Regt	x Rossau (?)		
79 Gds Hv Tank SP Regt	xxx Gr. Kuehneu	3 June 52	CO: Lt Col Bolkov
23 Gds Mtz Rifle Regt	xxx Rossau	1952	
467 Mort Regt	x Rossau	1952	
287 Gds AAA Regt	x Zerbst	6 Oct 49	
384 Gds Arty Regt	xx unlocated	15 Dec 50	CO: Gds Lt Col Velichko [Redacted]
440 Gds RL Bn	xx Rossau	1952	
121 (?) Gds Engr Bn	x Rossau	1951	
439 (?) Sig Bn	x Rossau	1951	
4 Gds Rcn Bn	x Rossau (?)	1952	
89 Medical Bn	unlocated		

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Unit	Location	Last Identified	Details
9 Mecc Div	(temporarily in Weisswasser)		
Div Hq	xxx Cottbus	27 June 52	
69 Mecc Regt	xxx Cottbus	9 May 52	
70 Mecc Regt	xxx Cottbus	27 May 52	
71 Mecc Regt	xxx Cottbus	27 May 51	
91 Tank Regt	xxx Luebben	10 Apr 52	
80 Gds Hvy Tank SP Regt	xxx Spremberg	27 June 52	
692 How Arty Regt	xxx Cottbus	7 May 52	
616 Mort Regt	xxx Luebben (?)	23 Oct 51	
1719 AAA Regt	xxx Cottbus	4 Feb 50	
441 Gds RL Bn	x Cottbus	5 Nov 49	
82 Engr Bn	x Cottbus (?)	21 June 51	
999 (?) Sig Bn	x Cottbus	5 Nov 49	
100 (?) Ren Bn	x Cottbus	1951	

Units:  
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CO: Col Gollina or  
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Unit	Location	Last Identified	Details
<u>4 Gds Mech Army</u>			
Army Hq	xxx Eberswalde	23 July 52	CO: Lt Gen Obukhov COFS: Maj Gen (?) Avtonenko (?) nits: (Finov) (Kraupnitz)
<u>63 AAA Div (US)</u>	xxx Eberswalde- Fuerstenwalde	12 Aug 52	nits: (Eberswalde. Div Hq) (Fuerstenwalde) (Eberswalde) (Eberswalde) (Fuerstenwalde)
11 Gds AT Arty Brig (?) 296 Gds AT Arty Regt U/1 Gds AT Arty Regt U/1 Gds AT Arty Regt	x unlocated xx Prenzlau (?) xx Doeberitz xx Doeberitz	2 Oct 50 27 Jan 51 6 Mar 52 May 52	CO: Col Khlopov
3 Engr Regt	xxx Eberswalde	23 July 49	
312 Gds NL Regt	xxx Eberswalde	23 June 52	CO: Gds Lt Col Kucherov
118 Sig Regt	xxx Eberswalde	19 Jan 52	
51 (?) Mtrcl Regt	xxx Eberswalde	21 Feb 52	

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Unit	Location	Last Identified	Details
6 Gds Meez Div	(temporarily in Templin)		
Div Hq	xxx Bernau	31 July 52	CO: Gds Col Shapovalov COFS: Gds Lt Col Trusov
16 Gds Meez Regt	xxx Bad Froienwalde	15 June 52	
28 Tank Bn	xxx Bad Froienwalde	10 Oct 51	
17 Gds Meez Regt	xxx Eberswalde	15 July 52	
35 Gds Meez Regt	xxx Bernau	24 June 52	CO: Gds Col Vechtomov
93 Tank Regt	xxx Bad Froienwalde	26 Apr 52	
82 Gds Hv Tank SP Regt	xxx Eberswalde	29 Mar 52	CO: Lt Col Megashan
676 How Arty Regt	xxx Bernau	12 Mar 52	CO: Col Ponomarev
240 Gds Mort Regt	xxx Eberswalde	5 June 52	
U/1 (120 ?) AAA Regt	xxx Bernau	12 Mar 52	CO: Gds Lt Col Averichev
95 (?) Mtrcl Bn	xxx Bad Froienwalde	1 Feb 51	CO: Gds Lt Col G.D. Likhatshev
52 Gds RL Bn	xxx Bernau	12 Mar 52	
22 Gds Engr Bn	xxx Bernau	12 Mar 52	Dty CO: Gds Capt Kolontajev
33 Gds Sig Bn	xxx Bernau	12 Mar 52	
34 Tank Ing Bn	xxx Bernau	16 July 52	

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Unit Location Last Identified Details

7 Gds Meccz Div (temporarily in Lieberose)

Div Hq	xxx Fuerstenwalde	Mid-Aug 52	CO: Maj Gen Koberidse
24 Gds Meccz Regt	xxx Fuerstenwalde	10 Apr 52	[redacted] (Fuerstenwalde, tank unit) (Frankfurt/Oder, tank unit ?) (Fuerstenwalde, tank unit ?) (Fuerstenwalde, tank unit)
25 Gds Meccz Regt	xxx Frankfurt/Oder	3 June 52	CO: Gds Lt Col Krasnolutski
26 Gds Meccz Regt	xxx Fuerstenwalde	19 June 52	CO: Gds Lt Col Bessedin or Lt Col Astashkin
57 Gds Tank Regt	xxx Frankfurt/Oder	2 May 52	CO: Lt Col Solatenko
84 Gds Hvy Tank SP Regt	xxx Frankfurt/Oder	11 July 52	CO: Col Kasantsev
U/1 (.0) Gds How Arty Regt	xx Fuerstenwalde	Summer 50	CO: Lt Col Grusin
468 Gds Mort Regt	xxx Beeskow	21 Mar 52	CO: Lt Col Lysykh
288 Gds AAA Regt	xxx Frankfurt/Oder	27 July 52	CO: Lt Col Babayev
5 Gds Mtrcl Bn	xxx Fuerstenwalde	17 Apr 52	CO: Maj Bacharov
122 (?) Gds Engr Bn	xxx Fuerstenwalde	14 Apr 52	[redacted]
147 (?) Gds Sig Bn	xx Fuerstenwalde	1951	
U/1 Tank Tng Bn	xxx Fuerstenwalde	23 Sep 51	CO: Maj Strachov

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Unit	Location	Last identified	Details
<u>25 Tank Div</u>	(temporarily in Templin)		
Div Hq	xxx Orenienburg	25 May 52	CO: Col Samonov or Semyanov [redacted] nits: (tank unit ?) (Orenienburg, arty unit ?) (Prenzlau) (tank unit ?) (Prenzlau)
111 Tank Regt	xxx Orenienburg	23 June 52	CO: Col Shuk [redacted]
162 Tank Regt	xxx Orenienburg	24 Apr 52	CO: Col Chapei [redacted]
175 Tank Regt	xxx Prenzlau	27 Mar 52	CO: Col Kuemin [redacted]
83 Gds Hq Tank SP Regt	xxx Prenzlau	16 June 52	
20 Mtr Rifle Regt	xx Orenienburg	May 51	
U/1 Mort Regt	xxx Prenzlau	25 Nov 51	
219 (?) AAA Regt	xxx Orenienburg	5 Aug 52	
53 Mtrcl Bn	xxx Orenienburg	4 July 52	
16 (?) Gds RL Bn	xx Orenienburg	Jan 52	
194 Eng Bn	xx Orenienburg	13 Aug 51	
U/1 Tank Tng Bn	xxx Orenienburg	4 July 52	CO: Gds Lt Col Vodeyko [redacted]

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Unit	Location	Last Identified	Details
10 Gds Tank Div	(temporarily in Letzing Heath)		
Div Hq	xxx Krampnitz	31 July 52	
61 Gds Tank Regt	xxx Krampnitz	4 Apr 52	
62 Gds Tank Regt	xxx Krampnitz	4 Apr 52	
63 Gds Tank Regt	xxx Brandenburg	1 Apr 52	
81 Gds Hvy Tank SP Regt	xxx Krampnitz	15 Apr 52	
29 Gds Mtz Rifle Regt	xxx Krampnitz	10 July 52	
299 Gds Mort Regt	xxx Krampnitz	4 Apr 52	
359 Gds AAA Regt	xxx Krampnitz	15 Feb 52	
7 Gds Mtrcl Bn	x Krampnitz (?)	22 Apr 52	
248 Gds RL Bn	xxx Krampnitz	Apr 51	
131 Gds Engr Bn	x Krampnitz (?)	1951	
152 (?) Gds Sig Bn	x Krampnitz (?)	24 June 51	

03: Maj Gen Brasnikov

units:  
(Krampnitz)  
(Krampnitz)  
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Unit	Location	Last Identified	Details
<u>Inactive File:</u>			
262 Gds AT Arty Regt	xx Doeberitz	27 June 49	[Redacted]
1645 (?) AT Arty Regt	* Wittenberg area	7 Sep 49	[Redacted]
1971 AT Regt	* Brandenburg	12 Dec 47	
114 Navy Guard Regt	* Karlsruhe	2 Dec 47	
7 Sig Repair Bn	* Berlin	July 47	
3831 Hospital	xx Teupitz	25 Oct 47	[Redacted]
U/1 Engr Bn	* Rathenow	Apr 48	
57 Motor Trans Regt	* Kramnitz	Dec 48	CO: Col Savuljak
266 AT Arty Regt	x Thuringia area	Beq of Mar 49	
873 AT Arty Regt	x Thuringia area	Beq of Mar 49	
41 Indep Repair Co	* Thiersteinwald	May 47	
174 Penal Bn	* Gotha	Jan 48	CO: Maj Swiridov
47 Gun Arty Regt	x Weimar (?)	14 June 49	[Redacted]
46 (Indep) Motor Co	x Gera	Sep 47	CO: Capt Inzanov
50 (Indep) Motor Co	* Altenburg	Sep 48	CO: Col Potyomkin
95 Gds RL Regt	x Osterburg (?)	15 Aug 47	[Redacted]
126 Army Repair Bn	x Rossau	15 Sep 47	CO: Maj Vikitenko
325 Mobile Repair Bn	x Rossau	15 Sep 47	CO: Maj Vikitenko
284 Motor Repair Bn	* Muehlhausen	Jan 47	CO: Maj Rudenko
343 Penal Co	x Thiersteinwald	Sep 47	[Redacted]
19 (?) Engr Regt	* Barty	30 Nov 49	[Redacted]
117 Gds AT Arty Regt (?)	* Schwerin	June 48	[Redacted]

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Unit	Location	Last identified	Details
<u>MGB units</u>			
Hq MGB (including a/c unit)	xx Berlin-Oruenau	Aug 51	(?) nits: (Johanngeorgenstadt) (Schwarzenberg) (Aue)
U/1 MGB Bn (Unit of 105 MGB Regt ?)	xx Biesdorf-Kaulsdorf	July 51	
U/1 (83 ?) MGB Regt	xx Guestrow-Schwerin- Potsdam area	July 51	
U/1 (138 ?) MGB Regt	xx Dresden-Cottbus- Bautzen area	July 51	
U/1 MGB Bn	xx Dresden	Aug 51	
U/1 MGB Bn (or Regt ?)	xx Leipzig	Aug 51	
U/1 (283 ?) MGB Bn	xx Chemnitz	July 51	(?)
U/1 MGB Bn (Unit of 118 MGB Regt ?)	xx Auehorbach area	Fall 51	(?)
U/1 (141 ?) MGB Regt	xx Schwarzenberg- Johanngeorgenstadt area	Aug 51	
U/1 MGB Regt	xx Annaberg	Sep 51	(?)

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Present Location of Divisions and Independent Units  
in Eastern Germany

Last date of confirmation in parenthesis. The dates may differ slightly with those in the body of the report, as the Annex was being worked on until 4 September.

<u>Group or Army</u>	<u>Unit</u>	<u>Location</u>
GDFG	6th Arty Div	The bulk at ALTENGRABOW (21 August).
	34th Arty Div (US)	Two brigades at ALTENGRABOW (21 August); 1 brigade in POTSDAM (19 August); transfer of 2 brigades from POTSDAM during the period from 31 July to 7 August.
	4th AT Arty Brig	On Ruegen Island, eastern part (August).
	2d Gds AAA Div	Elements at WUSTROW (14 August); elements presumably at ALTENGRABOW since 2 August.
	6th Gds AAA Div (US)	Elements at WUSTROW (14 August); elements presumably at ALTENGRABOW until 30 July.
	32d AAA Div (US)	Elements at WUSTROW (until 2 August); elements in the JUELTERBOG area (until 30 July).
	U/1 AAA units of the IV Arty Corps	On Ruegen Island in July and August.
	U/1 Engr Regt	Area of AKEN-DESSAU (15 August).
	36th Pon Bridge Regt	In the area east of ROSSLAU (12 August).
Eighth Gds Army	13th AAA Div	Only guard details at the post (11 August); elements at WUSTROW (14 August); other elements probably in OHRDNUF KINDEL and LOSSA; detachments at ALTENGRABOW (21 August).
	43d Gds Army Arty Brig	The bulk at ALTENGRABOW (21 August).
	38th (?) Army AT Arty Brig	At post (early August).
	220th Hvy Tank SP Regt	Elements presumably at ALTENGRABOW (until 1 August); presumably rotated from post to training area until 29 August.

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	19th Gds Engr Bn	Presumably at BAD KOESSEN (21 August).
	Arty Brig of the XXVIII Gds Mtz Rifle Corps	Presumably at OHDRUF.
	316th RL Regt (US)	Presumably at post (23 August).
	AAA Regt of the XXVIII Gds Mtz Rifle Corps	Presumably at OHDRUF.
	880th Engr Bn	Presumably in the TIEFEN area (August).
	39th Gds Mtz Rifle Div	The bulk at OHDRUF (1 August).
	20th Gds Mecz Div	The bulk at OHDRUF-CRAWINKEL (1 August).
	Arty Brig of the XXIX Gds Mtz Rifle Corps	Presumably at KINDEL and/or LOSSA.
	94th RL Regt (US)	Presumably at KINDEL and/or LOSSA.
	AAA Regt of the XXIX Gds Mtz Rifle Corps	Presumably at KINDEL and/or LOSSA.
	Engr Bn of the XXIX Gds Mtz Rifle Corps	Presumably at KINDEL and/or LOSSA.
	57th Gds Mtz Rifle Div	The bulk at KINDEL (18 August); motor vehicles at ALTENGRABOW (21 August).
	21st Gds Mecz Div	The bulk at LOSSA (August); motor vehicles at ALTENGRABOW (21 August).
	U/i Engr units of the Eighth Gds Army	Still in the DESSAU-AKEN area (15 August).
Third Shock Army	3d Gds AAA Div	Elements at WUSTROW (14 August); elements at post (22 August).
	44th Army Arty Brig	Elements at ALTENGRABOW (21 August); elements from BURG at ALTENGRABOW (7 to 11 August).
	U/i Army AT Arty Brig from RAVENSBURG	The bulk at ALTENGRABOW (21 August).

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<u>Group or Army</u>	<u>Unit</u>	<u>Location</u>
	136th Gds Hv Tank SP Regt	The bulk at LETZLING HEATH (August).
	15th Gds Engr Bn	The bulk (1) at BITTKAU (August).
	10th RL Regt	At post (30 July).
	AAA Regt of the IX Mtz Rifle Corps	Possibly at WUSTROW.
	Engr Bn of the IX Mtz Rifle Corps	Possibly in BITTKAU (August).
	94th Gds Mtz Rifle Div	The bulk at their posts (mid- August); elements of the 107th Gds Engr Bn in BITTKAU (until 3 August).
	18th Mecz Div	The bulk at WITTSTOCK (23 August); elements of the 343th Engr Bn in BITTKAU (25 August); AAA unit moved to WUSTROW in late July; u/i unit departed from LETZLING HEATH on 6 August.
	Arty Brig of the LXXIX Mtz Rifle Corps	In ROSTOCK (late July).
	RL Regt of the LXXIX Mtz Rifle Corps	At post (24 July).
	AAA Regt of the LXXIX Mtz Rifle Corps	Elements returned to BURG from WUSTROW (late July); elements presumably remained at WUSTROW.
	890th Ingr Bn	Presumably at BITTKAU (August).
	207th Mtz Rifle Div	The bulk in Camp JAEVINITZ and in STAATS (29 July); AAA units presumably at WUSTROW until late July; the 338th Engr Bn (US) in BITTKAU (23 August); artillery unit presumably at ALTENGRABOW (until 21 August); the 593th Mtz Rifle Regt was presumably transferred to the KLOETZE area.
	19th Gds Mecz Div	The bulk in Camp BORN (6 August); AAA units presumably at ALTEN- GRABOW (since 2 August); Engr Bn presumably at BITTKAU (August ?).

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<u>Group or Army</u>	<u>Unit</u>	<u>Location</u>
First Gds Necz Army	4th Gds AAA Div	Elements at WUSTROW (14 August).
	Army Engr Units	Returned to DRESDEN-UEBIGAU (4 August); previously believed to have been stationed north of STREHLA on the Elbe River (after 3 March).
	8th Gds Necz Div	The bulk in KOENIGSBRUECK (late July).
	11th Gds Tank Div	The bulk in KOENIGSBRUECK (late July); the military posts of KAMENZ and BAUTZEN were vacated by units of the division (4 and 15 August).
	Engineer units	Presumably of the 8th Gds Necz Div and/or 11th Gds Tank Div, probably returned to KOENIGSBRUECK from the area north of STREHLA in late July.
Second Gds Necz Army	9th Tank Div	The bulk presumably at ZEITHAIN (August ?).
	31st AAA Div	Elements returned to SCHOENWALDE from WUSTROW in late July and on 20 August; elements presumably at ALTENGRABOW (31 July to 27 August).
	2d Light Arty Brig (US)	In the area of GRANZIN, northwest of NEUSTADTLITZ (2 August); advance parties of the brigade arrived in DOEBLITZ-Olympisches Dorf (6 August).
	90th RL Regt (US)	Elements in the JUETTERBOG area from 14 to 17 August.
	Army Engr units	Presumably at its post (August).
	9th Gds Tank Div	Elements at its posts; elements engaged in field exercises in the vicinity of the posts (mid-August); artillery units in the JUETTERBOG area (2 to 10 August).
	12th Gds Tank Div	At its post and for large-scale exercises in the area of NEURUPPIN-RHEINSBURG (1 to 19 August); artillery units in the JUETTERBOG area (26 to 29 August); an AAA unit at ALTENGRABOW (until 1 August).

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<u>Group or Army</u>	<u>Unit</u>	<u>Location</u>
	1st Mecz Div	At its post and for exercises at the DOEBLERITZ troop training grounds (late August).
	13th Engr Bn	Presumably in the area north of RATHENOW (30 July to 22 August); artillery units in the area of JUTERBOG (31 July to 6 August; 9 to 17 August); tank elements in the area of HUSTRIE (14 to 18 August and after 26 August).
Third Gds Mecz Army	62d AAA Div (US)	Elements at WUSTROW (until 22 July); elements of the division from LUCKENWALDE-Stalag presumably transferred to the JUTERBOG area (26 August).
	199th Light Arty Bn	Presumably in the JUTERBOG area (August).
	91st Gds RL Regt	Elements presumably in the JUTERBOG area (first half of August); the regiment in LUCKENWALDE probably moved from the Norddeutsche Maschinenfabrik to Stalag I and II (26 August).
	35th Engr Regt (US)	Elements at its post (19 August); the whereabouts of some of the elements are undetermined at present.
	14th Gds Mecz Div	At its post (mid-August); field exercises in the vicinity of the post; motor vehicles in WUSTROW (14 August).
	9th Mecz Div	The bulk in WEISSWASSER (14 August); artillery and AAA units rotating to the JUTERBOG area (late July and early August).
	6th Gds Tank Div	The bulk in WENDLER-MAKENDOFF (14 August).
	7th Gds Tank Div	The bulk in Camp PLANKEN in LITZLING HEATH (6 August); engineer troops at BITTKAU (23 August).
Fourth Gds Mecz Army	63d AAA Div (US)	Elements at WUSTROW (14 August).

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Group or ArmyUnitLocation11th (?) Gds  
AT Arty BrigIn TEMPLIN (August ?); rear  
details followed from DOEBERITZ-  
Olympisches Dorf (early August).

312th Gds RL Regt

The bulk in the post; elements  
in the area of PLITZ near  
LEMBERG (6 to 9 August);  
elements moved to the JUTERBOG  
area (24 August).

Army Engr units

In TEMPLIN (August ?).

6th Gds Mecz Div

In TEMPLIN (14 August); motor  
vehicles at ALTENGRABO  
(21 August).

7th Gds Mecz Div

In LILBERG (5 August); elements  
of the 233th Gds AAA Regt in  
the area of JUTERBOG (until  
13 August).

10th Gds Tank Div

In Camp DOLLE in LETZING HEATH  
(29 July).

25th Tank Div

In TEMPLIN (14 August).

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